Promate DigiScope Digital Microscope

User's Manual

Thank you for choosing DigiScope Digital Microscope!

DigiScope Digital Microscope has a wide scope of applications, such as,

1. Skin Check
2. Scalp Check
3. Industrial Inspection e.g. Printing Circuit Board (PCB) inspection, electronics device inspection
4. Visual Assistance
5. Printing Inspection
6. Textile Inspection
7. Jewelry Inspection
8. Science Learning
9. ….. etc.

Please read this manual carefully before using DigiScope Digital Microscope.

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Product Specifications

1. Resolution 640*480 VGA.
2. Built-in 1 optical lens.
3. Magnification power 10x ~ 200x.
4. Built-in LED light.
5. Frame rate up to 30 FPS
6. Interface USB (PC)

Remarks: The magnification power is the ratio of the real size of the an observe object vs. the image show on a 15” monitor

Safety Precautions

1. Avoid touching the lens with finger to protect the product from electrostatic damage.
2. Do not attempt to service this product yourself. Opening the covers may expose you to dangerous voltage points or other risks.
3. When hands are wet, do not plug in or remove the adaptor or other connectors.
4. Using or storing DigiScope Digital Microscope, do not plug in any other cables, not belong to DigiScope Digital Microscope.
5. Do not use any detergent or volatile solution, which will damage the camera case, painted surfaces & lens. Only use a soft cleaning cloth.
6. If the lens is dirty, please use a kens brush on soft cloth to wipe clean. Avoid touching them with your fingers. Exercise care to avoid scratching the lens.
7. Without protection, do not put DigiScope Digital Microscope outdoor to avoid the lens damaged by high temperature or humidity.
8. Using and storing DigiScope Digital Microscope at Temp: 0^{o}C~ 40^{o}C, Humidity: 45%~85%.
9. If water has entered DigiScope Digital Microscope device and the inspection stage, immediately turn the power off and remove the USB cable. Do not use dryer neither.
10. Using or storing DigiScope Digital Microscope, need to watch all cables to avoid trip over or DigiScope Microscope fall down.
11. To avoid electric shock, remove all electricity source before moving PC.

Contents and Name of Parts

1. DigiScope Digital Microscope Device
2. CD (user's manual included)
3. USB Cable《USB2.0 / 1.1》 (1.8m)
4. Dock

Connecting to PC

System Requirements

- PC's system requirements:
  - ✓ OS: Windows 98se, 2000, XP
  - ✓ CPU: Pentium IV 1.5G, Celeron, AMD Athlon or above
  - ✓ Memory: 128MB
  - ✓ HDD storage space: at least 150MB
    (for driver and application software installation)
  - ✓ Graphic card: 16-bit or above

- ✓ CD-ROM driver
- ✓ USB2.0 / 1.1 port

Driver Installation Procedure

■ Power on PC and place installation CD into CD-ROM driver, do not connect USB Cable from DigiScope Digital Microscope to PC before driver installation.

■ Select driver installation, and follow the instructions to complete installation.

■ as driver installation completed, and if system asking for re-start, please re-start the Windows OS.

Note: The driver needs to be installed only once for each computer.

Windows XP

1. Place the installation CD into CD-ROM driver, the installation program should be started automatically. Otherwise, please execute the AUTORUN.EXE directly from the CD.
2. Select “Driver Installation” from DigiScope digital Microscope Installation menu screen
3. Click “Next” to continue.
4. When the “Software Installation” warning message appears, click “Continue Anyway”.

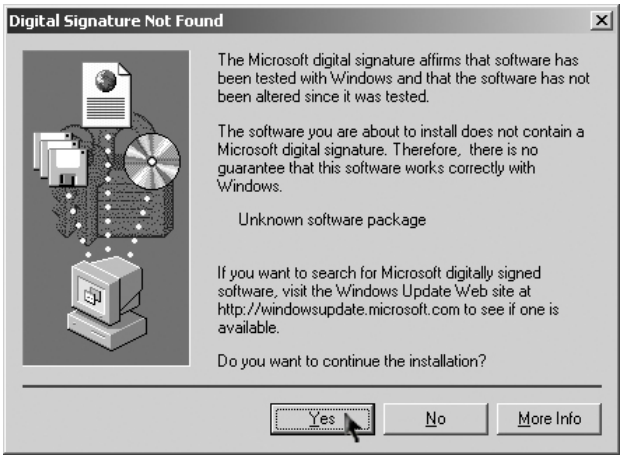
Software Installation
The software you are installing has not passed Windows Logo testing to verify its compatibility with Windows XP. (Tell me why this testing is important.)
Continuing your installation of this software may impair or destabilize the correct operation of your system either immediately or in the future. Microsoft strongly recommends that you stop this installation now and contact the software vendor for software that has passed Windows Logo testing.
Continue Anyway
STOP Installation

5. Click "Finish" to complete the installation.

6. Plug in USB Cable to DigiScope Digital Microscope to connect with PC, a "Found New Hardware Wizard" will then appear. Click "Next" to continue.

Windows 2000

1. Place the installation CD into CD-ROM driver, the installation program should be started automatically. Otherwise, please execute the AUTORUN.EXE directly from the CD.
2. Select "Driver Installation" from DigiScope digital Microscope Installation menu screen.
3. Click "Next" to continue.
4. When the "Digital Signature Not Found" warning message appears, click "Yes" to continue the installation.


Digital Signature Not Found
The Microsoft digital signature affirms that software has been tested with Windows and that the software has not been altered since it was tested.
The software you are about to install does not contain a Microsoft digital signature. Therefore, there is no guarantee that this software works correctly with Windows.
Unknown software package
If you want to search for Microsoft digitally signed software, visit the Windows Update Web site at http://windowsupdate.microsoft.com to see if one is available.
Do you want to continue the installation?
Yes
No
More Info

5. Click "Finish" to complete the installation.
6. Plug USB Cable to DigiScope Digital Microscope to connect with PC

Connecting Procedure

The following procedure will show you how to properly connect DigiScope Digital Microscope with your PC.

Connect USB Cable on Microscope Device to PC USB port.

Operate DigiScope Digital Microscope

The following procedure will show you how to operate DigiScope Digital Microscope.

1. To have up-right image, suggest placing DigiScope Digital Microscope as shown.
2. Put the to-be-observed object near the DigiScope Digital Microscope.

3. Adjust the focus: Use the thumb to rotate the area A as shown.

4. The magnification power will be higher if DigiScope Digital Microscope is

closer to the observed object.

Remark: Can also use Video Setting function of DigiScopeCapture for image adjustment.

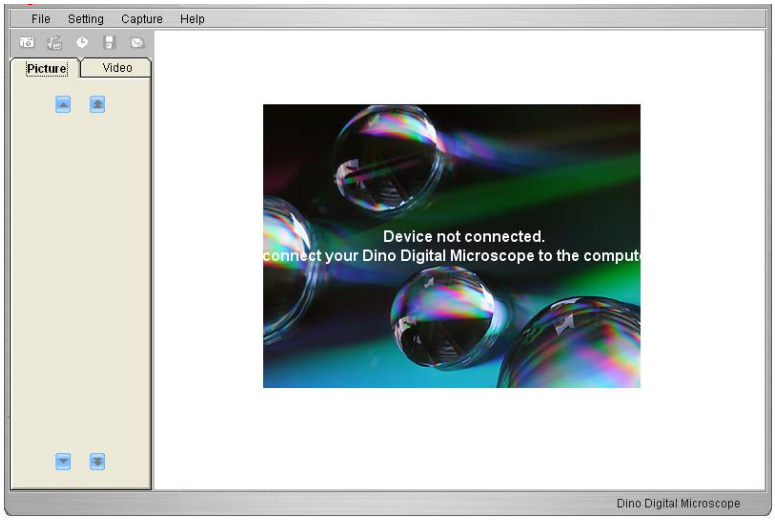
5. When the object is located at the top of the front cap, there are two focus positions, each with different magnification power, can be found by rotating the focus knob.

DigiScopeCapture Application Software

Note: Before start DigiScopeCapture, please make sure DigiScope Digital Microscope has been connected to PC via USB.

Click DigiScopeCapture, the DigiScopeCapture main screen will be shown as below.

The right hand side display the real-time image under the microscope. If DigiScope Digital Microscope has not been found while opening the DigiScopeCapture, the message will be prompted as below.



Tool Bar Description

Take Picture

Take Video

Take Time Lapsed Video

Save as

Mail

Picture / Video Folder

Picture / Video folder is on the left side of the program, which contains the thumbnails of picture or video captured by the program.
The file in the folder will not be automatically deleted when leaving the program. But it is still suggested to save the picture or video and keep the folder clean for file security and program's performance concern.

Thumbnail Notation

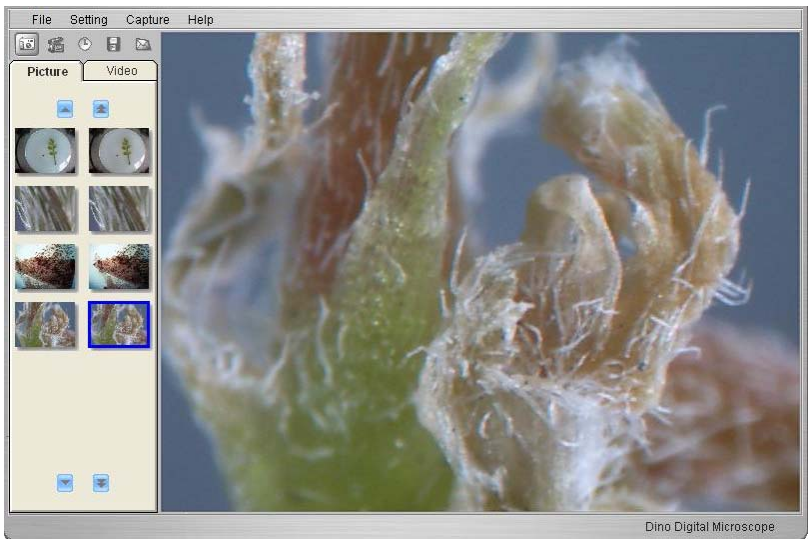
Grey shadow -- The picture or video has not yet been saved.

Orange shadow -- The picture or video has been saved.

Blue frame –- The picture or video is selected.
The selected picture or video can thus be opened, be saved, be copied , be shared, be mailed or be deleted.

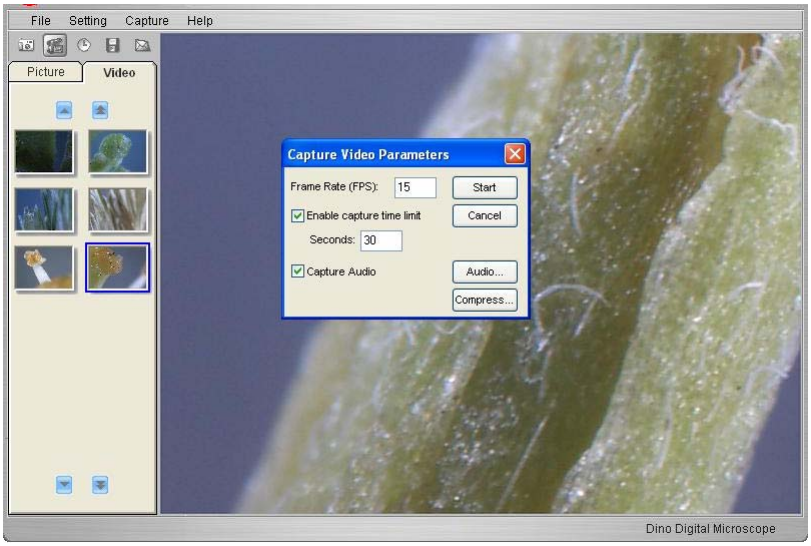
Take Picture

The picture can be taken either by clicking the icon on Tool Bar or by selecting "Picture" under Capture Menu.



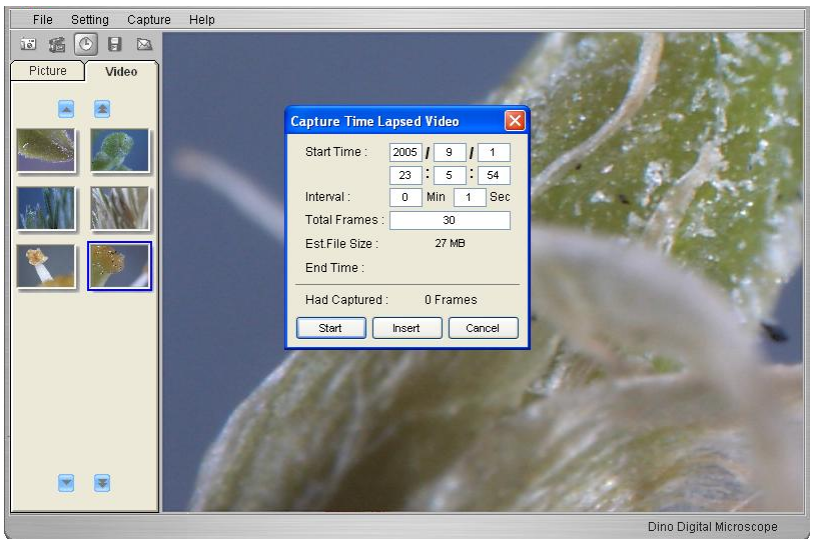
Take Video

The Video can be taken either by clicking the icon on Tool Bar or by selecting “Video” under Capture Menu.



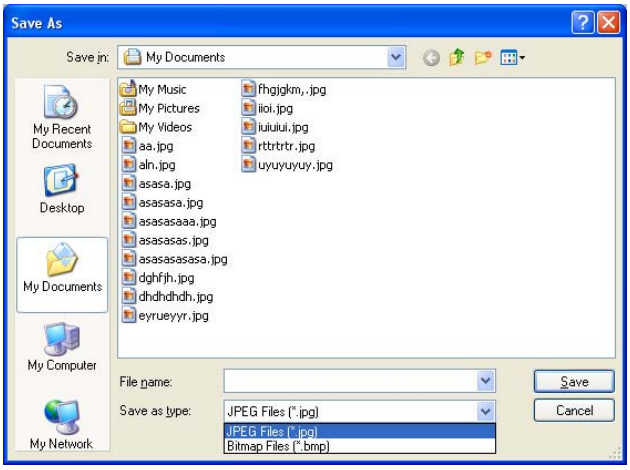
Take Time Lapsed Video

The Time Lapsed Video can be taken either by clicking the icon on Tool Bar or by selecting “Frames” under Capture Menu.



Save Picture or Video

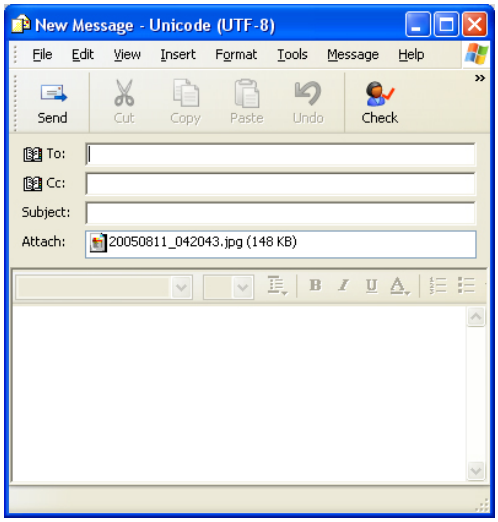
The file can be saved as "jpg" or "bmp", by either clicking in the Tool Bar or by selecting "Save as" under the File Menu . The selected file in the folder will then be saved as prompted below.



Mail

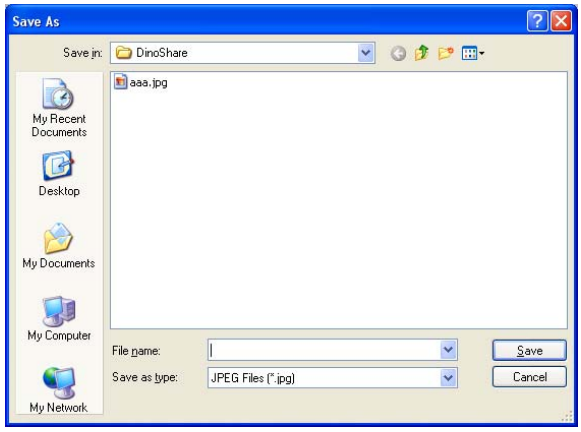
Click "Mail" : The file name is same as system's.

The selected file can be mailed by clicking in the Tool Bar, or by selecting "Mail" under the File Menu.



Share

Click "share" in the File Menu.



Full Screen Display:

The real time display can be enlarged to full screen by clicking on the upper right corner of the window.

To return from full screen mode, please click "**Esc**".

Menu Function List

1. File Menu

Open -- To open the selected picture or video.

Save As -- To save the selected picture or video.

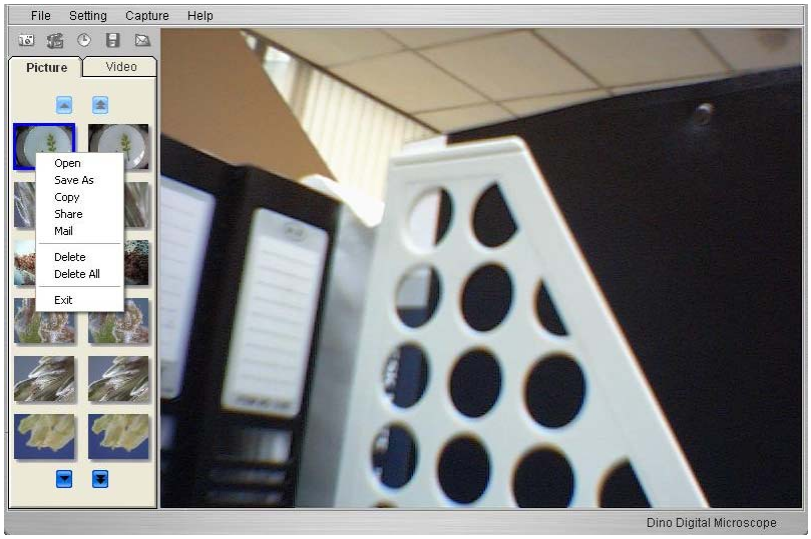
Share -- Save the picture or video file to DigiScopeShare folder, under the Shared Document.

Mail -- To mail the selected picture or video.
The picture will be mailed in JPG format automatically.

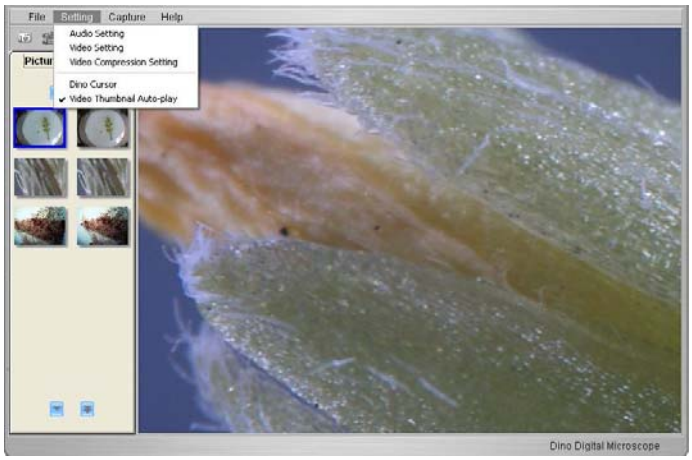
Delete -- To delete the selected picture or video.

Delete All – To delete all the files in selected folder, picture or video.

On display thumbnail picture, click mouse right key, the functions showed are same as file's.

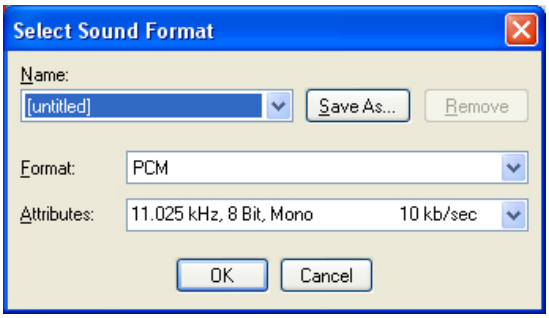


2. Setting



Audio Setting

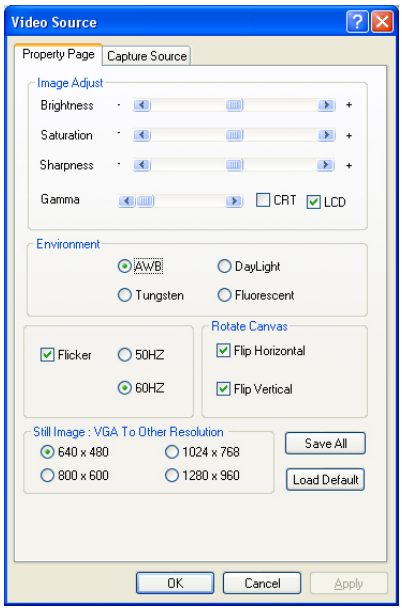
The user can select the quality of audio file to be recorded.



Video Setting

The user can set the parameter of video.

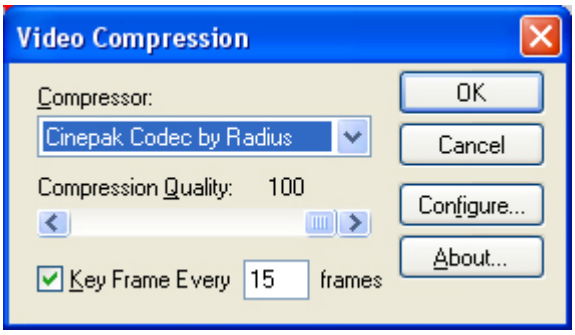
Note: The resolution setting is not useful.



Video Compression Setting

The user can select the compressor for video recording.

Note: The video quality may be varied with different compressor.

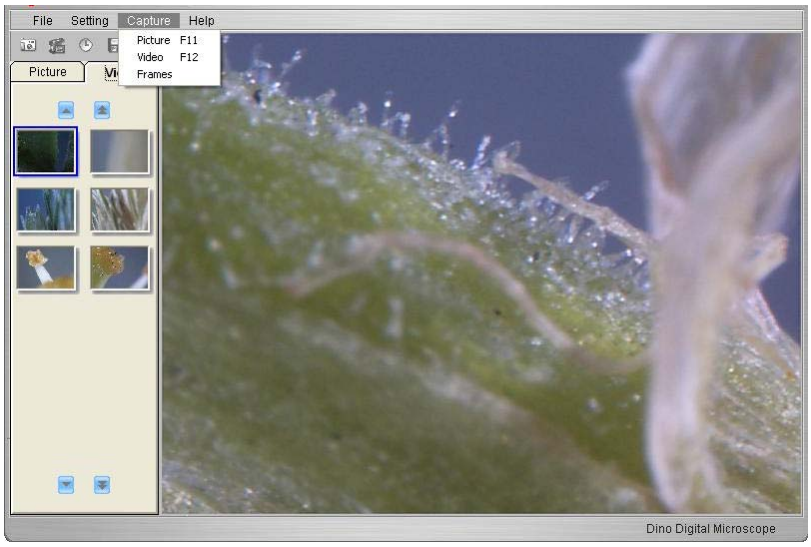


Video Thumbnail Auto-play

The thumbnail auto play can be switched on or Off. If thumbnail auto play is enabled, the video will play when cursor move over.

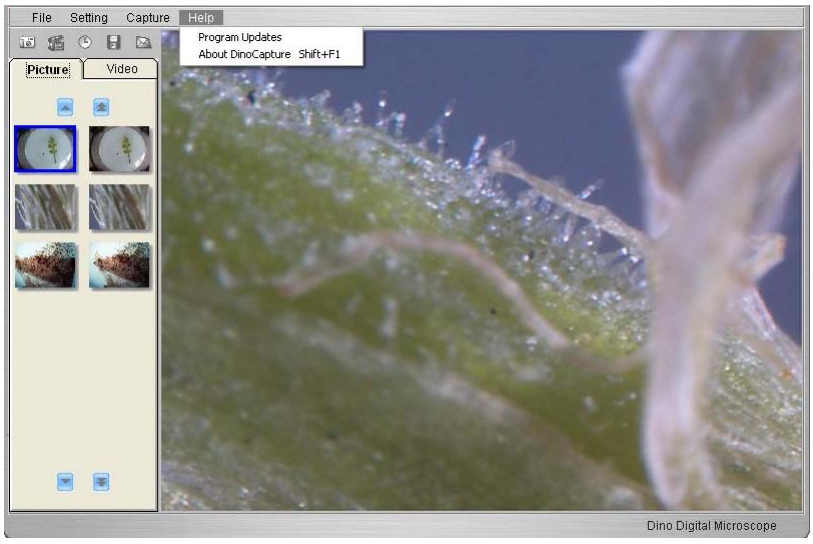
3. Capture

The picture, video and frame functions in Capture have the same functions as the buttons of in the Tool Bar.



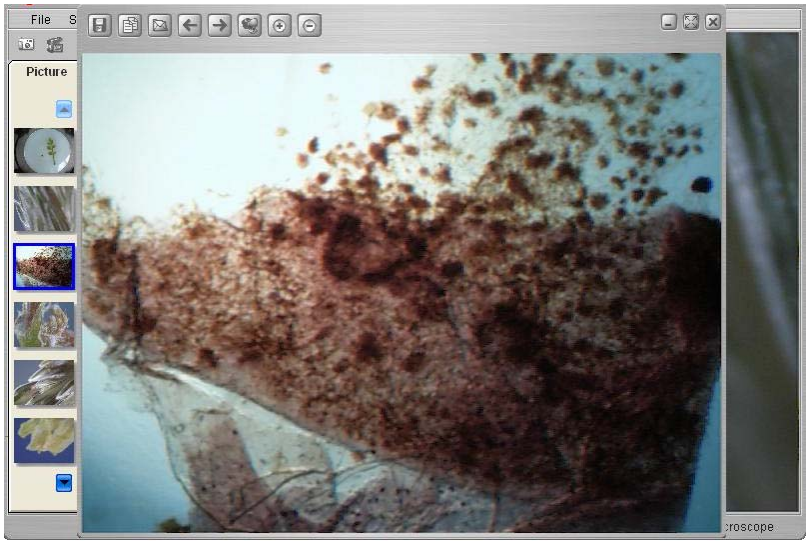
4. Help

User can use “Program Updates” in Help to download the most updated DigiScopeCapture from Promate web site www.promate-global.com



Open The Picture

The opened picture can be displayed in full screen by clicking
To return from full screen mode, just click the mouse left key.



Function Description

Save as

Copy

Mail

Previous Picture

Next Picture

Share the Picture by sending the file to DigiScopeShare under the Shared Document

Enlarge

Shrinkage

Open The Video Or Time Lapsed Video

Function Description

Play

Stop

Pause

Q&A

Q1. Why the object cannot be found on the display of digital microscope?

A: a. Please check all the connection of all necessary cable and adapter.

Q2. Why cannot work, when connect to PC?

A: a. Check driver installation is completed.

b. The USB cable is connected to DigiScope Microscope and PC USB port.

Q3. How to install driver?

A: a. Do not connect USB cable to DigiScope Microscope before driver

installation.

b. Place installation CD into CD-Rom driver, select "driver installation".

Q4. If USB cable connected to DigiScope Digital Microscope before driver installation?

A: Remove USB cable from DigiScope Digital Microscope for 5 sec., and then plug it back to DigiScope Digital Microscope.

Q5. How to connect " DigiScopeCapture" ?

A: Complete driver installation, connect USB cable to DigiScope Digital Microscope, and then Execute " DigiScopeCapture" application procedure.

Q6. How to uninstall driver ?

A: Remove USB cable from DigiScope Digital Microscope, execute "uninstall" in application procedure " DigiScope Digital Microscope".

Q7. When connecting to PC, why the picture is slow or unsmooth?

A: a. Probably your PC's configuration is not sufficient enough. Please check the system requirements as mentioned in this User's Manual.

b. Probably your PC's CPU or memory is overloaded by executing too many application software. Try to shut down other application and restart your system to release the memory.

c. Probably your system has being attacked by virus, which may dramatically degrade your system's performance.

Q8. What should we do, if DigiScope Digital Microscope is not working normally?

A: Please reset the system by disconnecting all the cables from DigiScope Digital Microscope. Wait for about 5 sec., re-connecting the cables to restart.

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